



# Cal OES

## Daily Weather Threat Briefing

Regional Operations Center

Western Region

Friday, November 4



**Day 1 (Friday):** Gusty winds will develop across northern California this evening. Elevated to brief critical fire weather conditions possible across southern California, especially in the mountains.



# Weather Risk Outlook

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	Fri, Nov 4	Sat, Nov 5	Sun, Nov 6	Mon, Nov 7	Tue, Nov 8	Wed, Nov 9	Thu, Nov 10
<b>Fire Weather</b> Low RH / Wind / Dry T-Storms	Southern						
<b>Thunderstorms</b> Wind / Hail / Tornadoes							
<b>Heat</b>							
<b>Cold</b>	All Regions	Inland					All Regions
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Wind</b>	Inland		Inland (mountains)	Inland (mountains)	Inland (mountains)	Inland (mountains)	
<b>Heavy Rain</b> Flash Flooding / Debris Flow		Inland/ Coastal	Inland/ Coastal	All Regions	Inland/ Southern	Southern	
<b>Snow</b>			Inland (mountains)	Inland (mountains)	Inland (mountains)	Inland (mountains)	

Risk Levels	Little to None	Minor	Moderate	Major	Extreme
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# Weather Key Points

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- Northwestern California will continue to see showers, otherwise drier and continued colder temperatures are expected for the remainder of the state for Friday
  - Winds will increase across northern California Friday evening into Saturday morning, with gusts of 55-65 mph expected.
  - Portions of Southern California will see elevated fire weather conditions on Friday due to dry conditions and strong wind gusts of 35-55 mph, especially across the mountains
- Additional storm systems are expected Saturday through Wednesday, bringing valley rain and mountain snow to much of the state
  - Locally moderate to heavy rain is possible Saturday into Sunday, especially across far northern California. This rainfall could lead to ponding of water on roadways, but no significant or widespread burn scar impacts are expected.
  - Heavy mountain snowfall is likely, especially in the Sierra Sunday into Wednesday, and another round of travel impacts will be possible across the mountain passes, with several days of disruption also possible. The exact timing and details will become clearer within the next couple of days. Gusty winds of 50-60 mph are possible over the mountains, leading to areas of reduced visibility
  - There's a chance of snow and travel impacts down to the Grapevine in southern California Tuesday morning but more likely Wednesday morning.



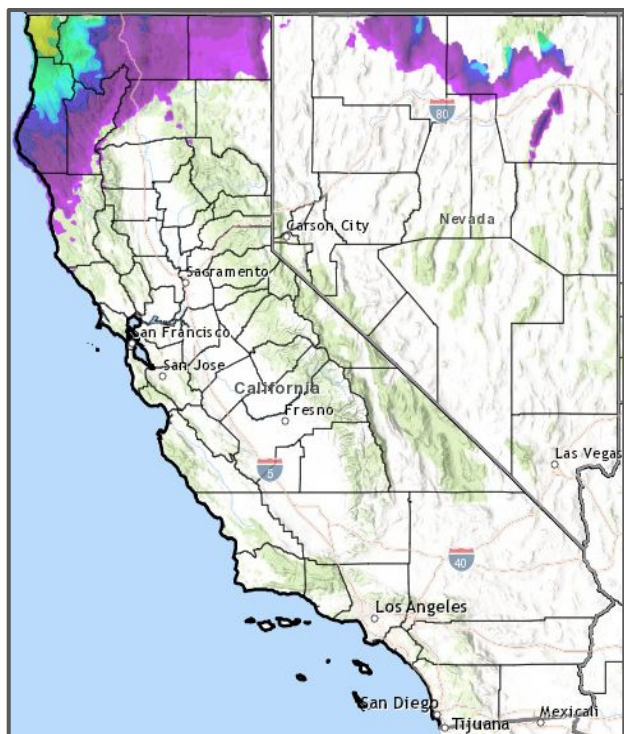


# Precipitation Forecast

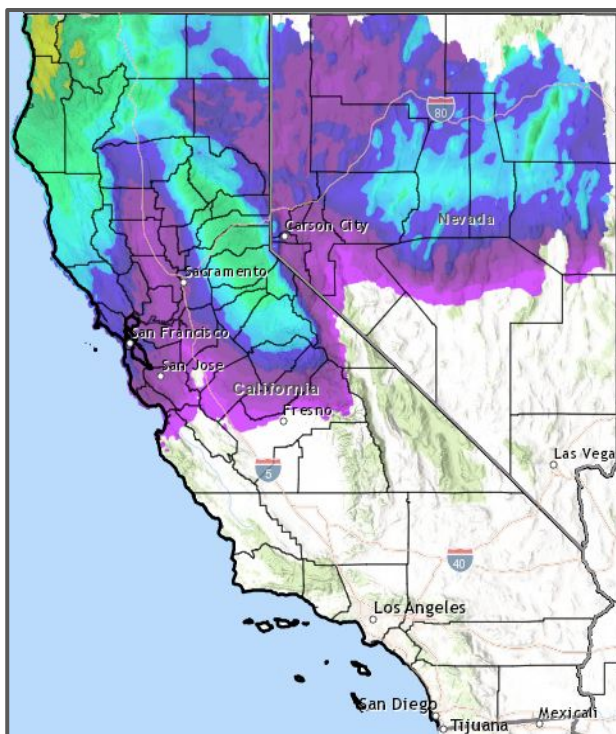
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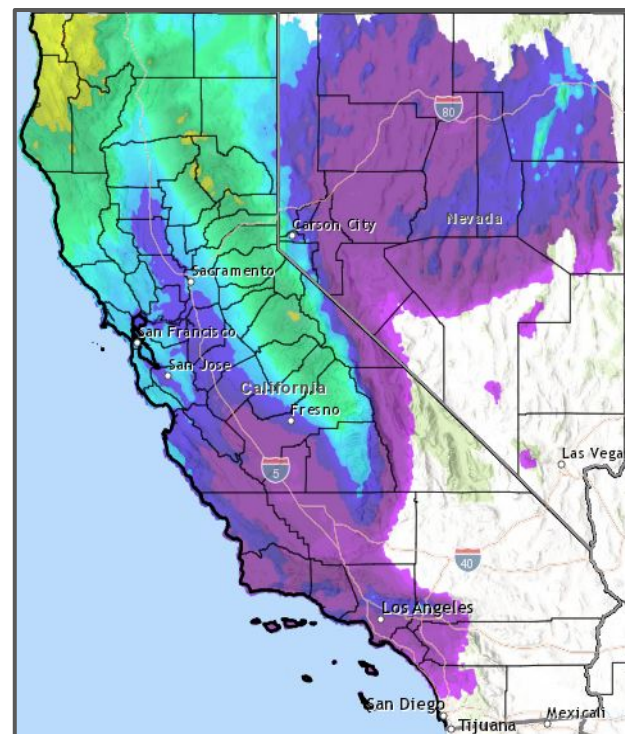
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Friday



Saturday



Sunday

**Important Note:** Forecast precipitation amounts are an average for any particular location. Thunderstorms will produce locally much higher rainfall amounts.

**Precipitation (inches)**





# Weather Outlook (6-14 Days)

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## **6-10 Day Outlook (November 9 - 13)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures are favored to continue statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Above normal precipitation is favored across the state

## **8-14 Day Outlook (November 11 - 17)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures are again favored across the state

### **Precipitation**

- Near normal precipitation favored across southern California and above normal precipitation is favored elsewhere across the state



# Risk Assessment Matrix

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## Impact Level Definition

- 1. Impactful weather is not expected.**
- 2. Potential threat to lives and property if no/incorrect actions are taken.**
  - Localized impacts on commerce possible.
  - Includes events that occur frequently.
- 3. Potential threat to lives and property if no/incorrect actions are taken.**
  - Impacts on commerce possible.
  - Includes events that occur a few times per year.
- 4. Actions likely needed to save lives and/or property.**
  - Significant impacts to commerce possible.
  - Includes events that occur infrequently.
- 5. Actions required to save lives and/or property.**
  - Significant and extended impacts to commerce.
  - Includes exceptionally rare events.

